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providing a second service module with a service function different from the first service module and adapted to address said printhead-related service condition, the second service module removably installable on the printer and with respect to the first service module.

17. (Twice Amended) A method for servicing an inkjet printer including an inkjet printhead and a removable first service module, comprising:

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providing a second service module different from the first service module and adapted to address a printhead-related service condition not adequately addressed by the first service module being in an un-worn condition, the second service module removably installable on the printer and with respect to the first service module; and

installing the second service module in the printer;

conducting a printhead-related service operation using the second service module.

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30. (Twice Amended) A special service module for use in an inkjet printing system including an inkjet printhead and a standard service module removably installed in the printing system, the special service module configured to be removably installed in the printing system in place of the standard service module to perform a special service function on the printhead which is not performed by the standard service module being in an un-worn condition, the special service module removably installable on the printer and with respect to the standard service module.

REMARKS

A marked up version showing the changes made to the application is attached hereto.

Claims 1-33 are pending in the application.

Claims 3-9, 11, 18-22, 24, 28, 29 and 31-33 have been allowed.

The indication of allowable subject matter is appreciated.